On page 14, line 18, after "124" please insert --as--.

On page 14, line 31, please delete "retrieve" and insert --retrieves--.

On page 15, line 1, please delete "unload" and insert --unloads--.

On page 16, line 18, please delete "106" and insert --122--.

On page 16, line 19, please delete "106" and insert --122--.

On page 16, line 27, please delete "110of" and insert --110 of --.

On page 18, line 15, please delete "Figures 2 and 3" and insert --Figures 2A, 2B, 3A,

and 3B--.

On page 18, line 19, please delete "102" and insert --122--.

On page 18, line 25, please delete "2A" and insert --2B--.

On page 19, line 22, after "121" please add --, 128--.

On page 19, line 23, after "121" please add --, 128--.

On page 19, line 27, please delete "both".

On page 19, line 27, please delete "242, 244" and insert --124--.

On page 20, line 5, please delete "124" and insert --122--.

On page 23, line 12, after "Figure" please delete "8" and insert --9--.

On page 23, line 22, please delete "2 and 3" and insert --3A and 3B--.

On page 23, line 24, after "substrates", please delete "are".

On page 24, line 14, please delete "906" and insert --904--.

On page 24, line 20, please delete "906" and insert --904--.

On page 25, line 1, please delete "922" and insert --923--.

On page 25, line 4, please delete "922" and insert --923--.

On page 25, line 17, please delete "922" and insert --923--.

On page 25, line 18, please delete "228" and insert --112--.

On page 25, line 20, please delete "228" and insert --112--.

On page 25, line 23, please delete "922" and insert --923--.

On page 27, line 7, please delete "922" and insert --923--.

On page 29, line 10, please delete "126" and insert --616--.

On page 31, line 30, after "shown" please insert --)--.

On page 33, line 13, please delete "2 and 3" and insert --2A, 2B, 3A, and 3B--.

On page 33, line 14, please delete "219" and insert --134--.

On page 33, line 21, please delete "219" and insert --134--.

On page 33, line 27, please delete "2 and 3" and insert --2A, 2B, 3A, and 3B--.

On page 33, line 29, please delete "219" and insert --134--.

On page 34, line 12, please delete "2 and 3" and insert --2A, 2B, 3A, and 3B--.

On page 39, line 30, after "connected" please insert --to--.

On page 40, line 21, before "exemplary", please delete "a" and insert --an--.

On page 41, line 6, before "however", please delete "[".

On page 41, line 11, after "water." please delete ",".

On page 42, line 15, after "pores" please delete "are".

On page 43, line 23, please delete "an" and insert --a--.

On page 43, line 28, please delete "No," and insert --No.--.

On page 45, line 5, please delete '12C" and insert --15C--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 23-61 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend claims 19 and 21 as follows:

1   19.   (Amended) The apparatus of claim 12, further comprising a remote plasma
2   system having a RF generator connected to each processing region.

3   21.   (Amended) The apparatus of claim 20, wherein the oxidation chamber is
4   connected to a remote plasma system having an RF generator or a microwave generator.

Please add the following new claims as follows:

1   --62.   (New) The apparatus of claim 9 wherein the isolated processing region of
2   each of said processing chambers and an interior region of said high pressure deposition module are
3   isolatable from an exterior environment in which said apparatus is situated.

1   63.   (New) The apparatus of claim 12 wherein the isolated processing region of
2   each of said processing chambers and an interior region of said high pressure deposition module are
3   isolatable from an exterior environment in which said apparatus is situated.--